(c) had not the Panchayat passed estimates for a Bund sluice in survey in Survey No. 637 and what was the complaint from the people of the said Panchayat which caused the issue of the above order stopping the work of the bund?

Mr. Parambi Lonappen *(Minister for Rural Development)*: (a) There was an order dated 14th Makaram 1119, L.Dis. 1541/19, from the Director of Panchayats, but the contents of the orders is not available since the file has been destroyed.

(b) Yes. There were complaints against the site proposed for the bund and sluice.

(c) The estimate passed by the panchayat was for bund and sluice, Kurichipadam chira and not for any specific sluice in Survey No. 637. The complaint was against the site proposed for putting up the bund.

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750. മിസ്റ്റർ ജോസ് കെ. വട്ടിസ്: താഴെ പറയുന്ന ചോദ്യങ്ങൾക്ക് ബഹുമാനപ്പെട്ട ഗവൺമെണ്ട് സദയം മറുപടി പറയുമോ.—

(എ) തൃശ്ശിവപേരൂർ മുൻസിപ്പാലിറ്റിയിൽനിന്നു ക ക ട ഠ കംഭം ക-ാംനമ്പർ റെസലൂഷൻ നമ്പ് ര എന്തിനെ സംബന്ധിച്ചാണ്; റെസലൂഷൻ കോപ്പി മേശപ്പുറത്തു വെക്കുമോ;

(ബി) ആയതിന്മേൽ ഗവൺമെണ്ടു കൊടുത്ത മറുപടി എന്താണ്?

മിസ്റ്റർ സി. ജെ. മാത്യു: (എ)മുൻസിപ്പാലിറ്റി കൊച്ചിൻ ടെക്സ്"ടൈൽസിലേക്ക് കൊടുത്തുവന്നിരുന്ന ഇലക്ട്രിസിറ്റിയെ സംബന്ധിച്ചു ഇൻഡസ്ട്രിയൽ ഡവലപ്പ്"മെണ്ട് കമ്മിറ്റി (Industrial Development Committee) റിപ്പോർട്ടിൽ എഴുതിയിരുന്ന ചില അഭിപ്രായത്തെപ്പറ്റിയാണ്.

റസലൂഷന്റെ പകർപ്പ് അനുബന്ധമായി ചേർത്തിരിക്കുന്നു. *(Please see Appendix I).*

(ബി) ഗവൺമെണ്ടു അതു റിക്കാർട്ടു ചെയ്തു.

BURMAH-SHELL STRIKE

751. Mr. P. T. Jacob *(Latin Christians-Mattancheri)*: Will Government be pleased to state.—

(a) whether the Management of the Local Burmah Shell Installation complied with the instructions in the Adjudication award given by the Adjudicator;

(b) whether the Mineral Oil Workers' Union has put in any complaint that the instructions have not been complied with in time by the Management;

(c) whether the Hon'ble Chief Justice Mr. Krishnaswami Iyengar has found in his Adjudication Award that the discharging of the 25 Malayalee watchmen from the Local Burmah Shell Installation has been without sufficient grounds;

(d) has the Mineral Oil Workers' Union at any time requested the Government that the Management of the Local Burmah Shell Installation should be proceeded against for violating the provisions of the Essential Services Maintenance Proclamation;

(e) does the Government contemplate to proceed against the above Management for the said offence; if not, why?

Mr. C. J. Mahew *(Secretary to Government)*:

(a) Yes.

(b) The Secretary of the Mineral Oil Factory Workers' Union wrote to the Labour Commissioner on 18th February 1946 that the discharged Malayalee watchmen had not then been re-instated.

(c) The Adjudicator's award was that the Company did not have reasonable cause for the discontinuance of the employment of the 25 Malayalee watchmen.

(d) Yes, on 22nd September 1945 before the matter was referred to the Adjudicator.

(e) As the whole dispute between the Company and the Union was adjudicated, Government thought it unncessary to proceed against the Company for this particular offence.

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(3) The problem of tackling malaria in the area is engaging the attention of the Public Health Department.

(4) As for increase of rice ration no deviation can be made from the existing Rules.

(5) There is no necessity for a deputation.

(By order of the Government of Cochin)

(Signed)

Assistant Secretary

APPENDIX VII

(Please answer to question No. 750)

RESOLUTION NO, 4, DATED 1ST KUMBHAM 1120

This council takes strong objection to para 33 of the Industrial Development Committee Report published along with the Gazette, dated 21st Makaram 1120 in that it has recorded a finding against the Municipality behind its back without giving an opportunity to supply them with the necessary information. The Council repudiates the charge and request the Government to expunge the said para since the allegations contained therein are irrelevent and unwarranted.

APPENDIX VIII

(Please answer to question No. 753)

Statement showing the fixed capital, working capital, etc., of the Industrial Centre

		Rs.	A.	P.
1. Fixed capital invested	..	29,000	0	0
1. Working capital	..	19,430	0	0
3. Net profit.—				
1119 Rs. 1,980 10 10				
1120 Rs. 7,998 7 0				

1119	*Net profit*			*Net loss*		
Tooth powder				.. 88	13	6
Slate and Photo frame				.. 171	10	2
Lace garlands				.. 65	4	8
Shirting	12	5	8			
Oil section				.. 41	4	6
Carpenters' Society	1,416	5	10			
Leather Workers' Society	551	15	4			
All Cochin Khadi Society				.. 0	12	6
1120						
Tooth Powder				.. 147	13	1
Slates and Photo frames	135	7	5			
Lace garlands				.. 260	4	4
Shirting				.. 27	2	5
Oil section				.. 335	4	0
Brush Section				.. 486	4	1
Carpenters' Co-operative Society	4,152	9	8			
Leather Workers' Society	3,551	15	4			
Khadi Co-operative Society	66	0	0			
Vilkurup Society	92	7	3			

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